PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of Docket No: Q92733

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Appln. No.: 10/565,190 Group Art Unit: 2816

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For: MULTI-POWER SOURCE SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES

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Sir:

This responds to the Election of Species Requirement, dated May 11, 2011. The Examiner has identified the application as containing claims directed to more than one distinct species. The Examiner has required the Applicant to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted. The Examiner believes there are no generic claims. Applicant has been advised that a response to this requirement shall include an identification of the species that is elected and a listing of all claims readable thereon.

In response to the Examiner's requirement, Applicant elects Species IV (Fig. 16) for examination on which claims 1-3, 18-19, 22-24 and 29 relate to Species IV. This election is made without traverse.